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CLAUERHOUSE PLUNGED HIS SWORD THROUGH THE BREAST OF THE MINISTER

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**S**ANCTIFY yourselves; for to-morrow the Lord will do wonders among you," said Joshua to the Israelites encamped by Jordan. "What did he mean? The very God of peace sanctify you wholly," wrote Paul to the Thessalonians.

What did he mean? Let us see.

In the first place, the religious customs of the Jews must be regarded as types—that is, as emblems or figures of something to come, especially the foreshadowing in the Old Testament of something realized in the New.

#### Set Apart for Sacred Use.

The first time the term Sanctification is used in the Bible it is in the sense of separation, or the setting apart of something to a sacred use. God Sanctified the seventh day. Later, on Sinai, He issued a commandment to the Jews to remember that day and keep it holy.

It is next used in the sense of purifying or cleansing. "And the Lord said unto Moses, Go unto the people and Sanctify them to-day and to-morrow, and let them wash their clothes and be ready against the third day" to receive the Law.

In the question with which this article begins the sense is obviously that of preparation.

These, then, are the three principal aspects of the Old Testament use of the word Sanctification in respect to man—Separation, or consecration to a holy use; Purification; Preparation.

No doubt Joshua had these in mind when he urged the Jews to sanctify themselves. They were about to cross the Jordan and enter Canaan, inhabited by a hostile people, who bowed down to Moloch, to whom they burned little children, drowning their anguished shrieks by the clashing of cymbals, and did many other things revolting to the humane spirit of the people, who had been taught to worship God, our Father.

## SANCTIFICATION—What is it?

### CEREMONIAL AND SPIRITUAL; OR, OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT ASPECTS

**EDITOR'S NOTE.**—The three principal significations of the word Sanctification, both in the Testament and the New, are: Separation, or Consecration to a holy purpose; Purification; and Preparation. We propose to consider these aspects. This one shows the Scriptural warranty for above sanctification.

"It was God's will that they should not mix with the ancient Canaanites, but keep themselves to themselves. These are His words:—  
"But I have said unto you, Ye shall inherit their land, and I will give it unto you to possess it, a land that floweth with milk and honey. I am the Lord your God, which have separated you from other people."  
"And ye shall be holy unto Me: for I the Lord am holy, and have severed you from other people, that ye should be Mine."

#### No Wiser Set of Laws.

Shortly before Joshua exhorted the people to sanctify themselves, he had concluded the repeating of the Law given unto the Israelites for their good government in the Promised Land, and for moral or ceremonial purity no nation on the face of the earth has ever had a wiser or more elaborate set of laws; but they were intended to force the necessity for personal Holiness, or Sanctification, in approaching and appearing before God.

Preparation, or lack of it, is very closely associated with Holiness or evil on the part of the Jews. Rehoboam did not, because he prepared not his heart to seek the Lord.

To Jeremiah it was said, "Nevertheless there are good things found in thee, in that thou hast taken away the groves out of the land, and hast prepared thine heart to seek God."

Howbeit the high places were not taken away; for as yet the people had not prepared their hearts unto the God of their fathers."

These three aspects of Old Testament, or ceremonial Sanctification, are brought forward very incidentally in the New Testament or Spiritual Sanctification.

Paul, writing to the Corinthians, says:—

"Wherefore come out from among them and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you, and will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be My sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty."  
"Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting Holiness in the fear of God."

And to Timothy he remarks:—  
"If a man therefore purge himself from these, he shall be a vessel unto honour, sanctified, and meet for the Master's use; and prepared unto every good work."

#### A Clearer Definition.

We have in the foregoing endeavored to show the ceremonial or Old Testament signification of Sanctification, and how these things are applied to the Sanctification of the soul.

With respect to the second question our writer says:—  
"Sanctification is an alteration of qualities from evil to good."

"Sanctification is the renovation of nature by the Holy Spirit."

In brief, The Spirit's definition of Sanctification is this:—  
"Holiness means being cleansed from all unrighteousness and then

surrendered to be, do, or say that is the will of God."  
"Can an evil man be made good? No. From start to finish this is a new man."

Read the following, Paul says:—

"Be not deceived: neither can ye be washed, nor do ye put on righteousness, nor abase yourselves with mankind."

"Nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revellers, nor contentious, shall inherit the Kingdom of God."

"And such were some of us; but ye are washed, but ye are justified in the Lord Jesus, and by the blood of His cross."

After that! Throw open the door of the heart, and let the whole crowd in. The selection, by the Spirit, of the man who is to be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

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#### A LONE ZULU WARRIOR

Only Salvationist in England—Hopes to Catch Others.

"I am alone in my father's house, sitting on the steps outside the great Hall, in the full blaze of the sun. I am a party of Zulu bronze faces glistening with sweat."

"Yes, I only Salvationist," says the spokesman. "My father is a chief, and he said, 'If my son to school, then he will how to write letter to the Government when I cannot pay tax, but the white men taught me more than to read and write—they want to serve God. Happy?'"

"Very happy, Oh, I have seen many here already! Why, when home, it will take me one or two years to tell it all! I have a home; it is written in Zulu now I get another Bible and all I see in this great country."

"And Margaret Wilson and Andrew called each other by the names of devils and damned souls, and then, with their evil passions aroused, went out to practice their terrible sport in dreadful rivalry upon Godly people for no other reason than that they worshipped their God according to their own conscience."

"Graham of Claverhouse and his cruel dragons were men of blood and sin. So far did they carry their impiety that in their revells they played at the torments of hell and called each other by the names of devils and damned souls, and then, with their evil passions aroused, went out to practice their terrible sport in dreadful rivalry upon Godly people for no other reason than that they worshipped their God according to their own conscience."

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## WHAT HE MIGHT HAVE BEEN

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## THE WEEK'S BEST STORY

SELECTED FROM THE ARMY'S PRESS

### A BRAVE COWARD

WHOSE STORY POINTS A VERY NECESSARY MORAL AT THE PRESENT TIME.

**O**N September night a number of years ago, a group of young soldiers chatting in a Marlborough Hotel, had as their principal topic, the next day's cricket match between their regiment and the Lancs.

"Who would say," said one of the group, "that the corporal is a coward?" He is one of the best all-round athletes in the regiment; a first-class shot, and a jolly good fellow. I do not think he ever touched drink in his life. I can't make him out. The other day he was called a 'fool' sport, and challenged to fight, but he simply turned on his heel and walked off.

"There is no understanding him. You chaps remember how he risked his life to save a child at the fire in Longmarket Street, how, although even the firemen tried to persuade him that it would be suicide he got in through a window and saved the child. It was a very brave act, no wonder the Mayor recommended him for a medal, and gave him £10.

It makes me sick to think that a chap who did such a thing, and one of our regiment, is so funky to fight a Lancs."

"I don't believe he is a coward at heart," said another. "I saw him risk his life in Trincomalee Harbour to save a man from drowning. There were any number of sharks about, too, when he dived. The colonel had him up on the quarter deck and told him that he was a credit to the regiment, and the captain of the ship presented him with a fine silver stop watch, with his name engraved on it."

When the men had finished talking, an orderly corporal, sitting close by, said, "I don't blame you for thinking the corporal was afraid of fighting the Lancs, but it wasn't fear which prevented him; he doesn't know what fear is. I know his reason for not fighting, and to prevent the yarn that he is a coward go further farther I will tell you a little story which will explain why he didn't fight. I know his family in Surrey, for I was at his parents' wedding."

"Put up with insults or abuse rather than strike an angry blow," said he, and the corporal has kept continue to do so. By the way, he goes the quarter bugler; we must clear. Now, youngsters, you can form your own opinion as to whether the corporal is a coward or a brave man."

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Hamilton I. Band scored another victory during their visit to Simcoe last week-end, the finances amounting to over a hundred and eighty dollars, five souls sought Salvation, and a record kneedrill was held. The Divisional Commander, Brigadier Addy accompanied the Band. Colonel T. R. Atkinson presided at the opening festival on Saturday night, and spoke highly of The Army's good work.

The afternoon festival was presided over by Senator McCall, supported by H. H. Graft, Esq., and others.

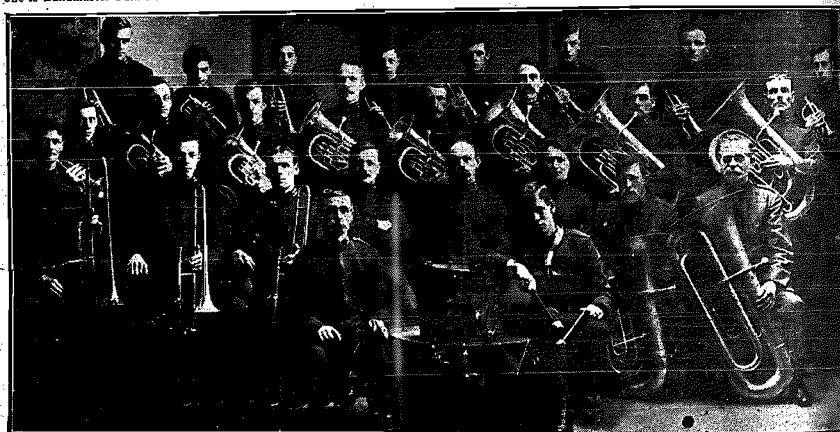
Nearly a thousand people attended the night open-air, and gave over two hundred dollars to the collection.

On Monday (Civic Holiday) the Band occupied the Bandstand in the local park, and crowds listened. The Band also played outside the home of Ensign Thompson (whose father has been ill for some time), and also outside the local prison.

Captain and Mrs. Snowden are to be congratulated on the great success of the visit—Corps Corres.

**Toronto's Biggest Band.**

The Dovescourt Band is now the largest in the city of Toronto, having no less than forty-eight players. To handle a big Band like this successfully requires a competent and experienced Bandmaster, and such a one is Bandmaster Palmer. He has



The London I. (Ont.) Band—Adjutant and Mrs. Ash and Bandmaster Wilson are seated in the centre.

been conducting Army Bands for the last twenty-four years, and so he knows something about the business. When he was at Aldershot, a military centre in England, his Band was mainly composed of old military men.

They were a bit cantankerous, like most old soldiers. I made them toe the line as regards Army regulations, and being mean to discipline, they soon appreciated it, and I soon had one of the best Army Bands in that part of the country."

**Rules to Be Kept.**

The lesson learned the Bandmaster has not forgotten, and he is noted for being a stern disciplinarian. The following extracts from the rules he has drawn up for his Band will serve to show the requirements of them. They are good rules for any Band.

Any Bandmaster staying away from

Brothers Snell, senior and junior, who have taken up solo euphonium and baritone respectively, and Brother Hancock, junior, who has taken up solo tenor horn. All these comrades have lately arrived from London, Ont. Brother Van der ven has taken up first cornet.

The Band attended a garden party at the College Street Methodist Church recently in aid of the Church Sunday School.

**Still Going Strong.**

The Toronto I. Band, though it has lost several members lately through transfers, is still twenty strong, and, moreover, it is "going strong," under the leadership of Bandmaster Darling. The latest addition is Brother Laurie, of Territorial Headquarters.

The Band has been struggling along under a severe handicap for the last few months, owing to the

At night God came very near and helped our feeble, but earnest efforts. The Citadel was packed, and Brigadier McLean spoke with great power, and the meeting finished with more souls.

On Monday evening the Band rendered one of the best musical meetings The Army in this city has ever known. Brother Erwin, representing the Young People's Band, did excellent with his beautiful solo, piano selections; and Band Secretary Toms, on his monistic bass, gave fine solo.

We of the Brandon Band cannot speak too highly of our dear comrades the Winnipeg boys, by coming to Brandon. They have done us a great deal of good, not only with their splendid playing, but by the encouraging words of the leaders—Band Secretary T. H. Munday.

"Memories of Childhood," "City of God," "Vesper Hymn," "Chalk Farm" were played, capped up with the "Hearts Closed" selection (B.J. 706).

There were also two instrumental quartettes and two vocal trios, titled "Roll, Jordan, Roll" and "Freedom, Peace," which were well applauded. During the collection the chairman delighted us with few lightning sketches of up-to-date personalities.

On the precious Thursday, Montreal J.V. Band gave a festival of the Corps. On the programme were "English Melodies," "Songs of the Land," "Invitation," and "Army Song Marches No. 1," besides part playing and singing.

The event of the night was presentation of pouches to the Band by a friend, Mrs. Ross. This was long felt need, and these have greatly improved the appearance of the Band—G. Donohue.

## BAND CHAT

**Sample Band's Good Play.**

Since the loss of Sample Band, the open-air meetings several inside. Indeed, the band serves great credit for the way worked with Lieutenant H. H. Graft.

A Male Quartette has started. We hope in the near future to have it grow to a Male Choir, are looking forward to a presentation on the 20th, when the Band will have a picnic at Scarborough Park.

We are glad to say Bandmaster Brookes, who is in the hospital, progressing favourably, also has a man Morton's wife is doing well. Both these comrades have been under an operation—Band respondent G. Snook.

**From Winnipeg to Brandon.**

One of the most successful musical festivals ever held at the Brandon Corps was that given by the Winnipeg No. 1. Band. They arrived here Saturday evening at 10.15 p.m. from Portage la Prairie, where they held a musical meeting.

On Sunday morning we had a delightful Holmes service, which resulted in some good work being done for the Kingdom. In the afternoon the Winnipeg Band rendered a splendid service in Stanley Park, which the citizens enjoyed immensely. Great attention was given to the Sergeant Burdett read and spoke very forcibly to the crowds.

**Montreal's "Triple Entente."**

Montreal J.V. Band paid a visit to Montreal I.I. Corps on Thursday August 13th. A united band was first led by No. 11, and then by No. 12, and in the Hall No. 14, gave a divisional. Deputy Bandmaster, G. of the No. 1, Corps was in the band thus showing the "Triple Entente" existing between the city bands. Bandmaster Robb, of No. 1, scored a point when he announced that, as No. 11, Band was absent, the latest music, he thought, would be the "old tunes" again. According

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## PARS ABOUT INTERESTING PEOPLE

**Into the Limeslight.**

THE comrades whose well-merited promotions brought them with us into the limelight of Salvation Army interest are Officers of striking personalities and of long and creditable records.

Lieut.-Colonel Taylor, Principal of the Training College, has been an Officer for twenty-eight years, during which time he has been in the Corps Officer and Divisional Commander; Departmental Officer, and an International Training College Staff. The greater part of his career has been in connection with the training of Officers, and he has passed through all branches of the Army. His tradition has it that on one occasion or more the future Commissioner was given "a week's notice," but, by as often ignoring it, he displayed this early one of the qualities destined to make him great in the ability to hold on.

What a story the record of his crowded years would make, and what lessons it would have for young Salvationists the world over. Can there be more than his high natural abilities, the Commissioner's success must be attributed to his great capacity for taking pains. Whilst yet a lad, when writing up The Army's Property Rolls, he created for himself a permanent testimonial to the possession of this faculty, for the books stand to-day as a monument of the neatness and accuracy which even then characterized his work.

Originally blessed with a retentive mind, he so developed his powers that in course of years "Mitchell's memory" has become a synonym for reliable recollection, and he is a bold man who would to-day challenge the Commissioner's recollection of fact.

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## Studies in Personality

### 1--COMM. G. MITCHELL

BY AN OLD COMRADE IN ARMS.

THE news of Colonel George Mitchell's promotion to the rank of Commissioner becomes additionally interesting when it is remembered that he started his Army life as an office boy at International Headquarters.

If we mistake not, the Commissioner is the first "leading circle" boy to reach his now exalted position. His early days at International Headquarters were just as troublesome as those of most boys—trials are a part of the tradition has it that on one occasion or more the future Commissioner was given "a week's notice," but, by as often ignoring it, he displayed this early one of the qualities destined to make him great in the ability to hold on.

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or figure. The Commissioner is also remarkably blessed with the ability to "keep cool." He is not to be "stampeded." The cooler he becomes, the more he becomes. In negotiation he is cold and discriminating, whilst his scrupulous fairness and exactness of speech have secured for him a high reputation in the ever-growing circle of business men and officials with whom he has to maintain The Army's interests. Of the Commissioner's administration as Finance Secretary, and later as Chancellor of The Army's Exchequer, history will speak. Suffice it here to say that under the inspiration of The General, the Chancellor has in recent years been responsible for developments that have steadily enhanced The Army's credit, and increased the fighting efficiency of the Organization. Progressive as the Commissioner is, and as a student of his methods, he is not the least of those who pay tribute to our Leader's influence on our lives, and the important part he has played in their development. "The General beats us altogether," he once said; "but now how carefully our 'case' is prepared, he is sure to ask at least one question we haven't bargained for—and what's more, it generally proves to be the most important of all." Others of us could say the truth of that statement; there is a

**Commissioner George Mitchell,**  
Chancellor of the Exchequer.

**A Social Delegate.**

The Brigadier has some knowledge of The Army's Social Work, having had three years' oversight of the Montreal Metropolitan, Salvage Prison and Relief Work.

and then was transferred to the Kingston Provincial Headquarters. He was Secretary for two years to Commander E. W. Booth, and then volunteered for pioneer work in the Klondike. This appointment was followed by two years as the Territorial Cashier at Headquarters and two years and half of very useful work as Assistant Editor of "The Army's Social Work Cry." A Chancellor in Newfoundland was followed by the command of the British Columbia and Yukon Province. Then came his present command in the London Division, where he has been for the last three and a half years.

**Pioneers in the Yukon.**

That Yukon trip forms a stirring chapter in the story of The Army's hazardous enterprises. Still it was eminently successful as will be shown by the following extract from a personal letter written by the Brigadier to a comrade:

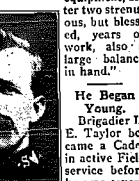
"It was in the year 1898 that I volunteered for pioneer work in the Klondike, and with seven other comrades went over the Chilkoot Pass. I had charge of the Corps there for two years. We also developed Social Work, which was a wonderful success. Staff Captain E. W. Booth, Captain Bloss, and Adjutant Leup shared those difficulties.

"The extent of that Corps, Social Institute, and Enquiry Department will best be realized when I tell you that the total weekly income reached as high as seven hundred dollars per week. As a party we were able to liquidate our debts, including travelling expenses and provisions, and left two buildings standing with equipment, after strenuous but blessed years of work, also a large balance in hand."

**He Began Young.**

Brigadier Taylor, E. Taylor became a Cadet in active field service before he was seventeen; he has been an Officer for over twenty years, so has plenty of time to go far in the Salvation fight. Few Officers in Canada have a richer and more comprehensive field experience than Brigadier Taylor. He has been Field Officer in some of our largest Corps, has been a Training Officer, District Officer, Chancellor in a number of Provinces, and at present is a Divisional Commander.

**Brigadier Taylor.**







## Official Gazette

Promotions (Newfoundland):—  
Lieutenant Fudge, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant Chappel, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant Hodder, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant Dwyer, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant Carter, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant M. Brown, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant S. Osmond, to be Captain.  
Lieutenant P. White, to be Captain.  
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**WAR CRY**  
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## "Fighting Fire With Fire"

So long as a man has a gun in his  
hip pocket, so long he will want to  
use it—and that suddenly. A wise  
law, therefore, forbids unauthorized  
persons to possess or carry firearms.  
So long as a ruler has an army and  
a navy at his disposal, so surely he  
will want to indulge in their use.  
(War has been termed "the sport of  
kings.") It might better be called the  
ragings of madmen. An enlightened  
age, in consequence, ought to apply  
to the world the principle that law-  
makers have applied to a commu-  
nity, and by the abolition of armies  
and navies, except in the capacity of  
international police, make it impos-  
sible for a fanatical patriot, an am-  
bitious monarch, or a light-headed  
populace to plunge a world into war  
and woe.

Dr. Dillon, a famous publicist, who  
has gone over the Belgian territory  
where the iron hoof of the invader  
has left its marks, sees in the de-  
vastated gardens, fields, and corn-  
lands; the smoking ruins of homes;  
the groaning wounded, and the stark  
dead, the first fruits of an awful  
harvest to be garnered later.

Canada, these things have not  
reached us, but we have sorrowful  
homages because the overseas hand-  
and foot has had to rejoin the colour;  
and war, as such, finds little favour  
amongst a people so much given, as  
the inhabitants of these dominions  
are, to the exercise of the generous  
principle of life and let live.

But, as The General has said, this  
is not a war of the peoples, but of  
rulers and systems, and so far as the  
soldiers of the British Empire are  
concerned, they go to fight fire  
with fire, and employ war to destroy  
war. For the great German peoples  
we have only the best of feelings,  
and when the time shall come when  
they shall beat their swords into  
plowshares, and their spears into  
"winning hooks," and turn from fight-  
ing to farming—which we believe  
will be the outcome of the pre-  
sent war—there is warm welcome  
awaiting all those who desire to  
exchange the fatherland for the  
wheatlands of the West. Let us all  
own way may speedily bring this

The Korean Delegates  
to Visit Canada

COLONEL AND MRS HOGGARD, WITH THEIR REMARK-  
ABLE PARTY OF NATIVES, WILL SAIL FOR THE  
DOMINION ON OCTOBER 6TH.

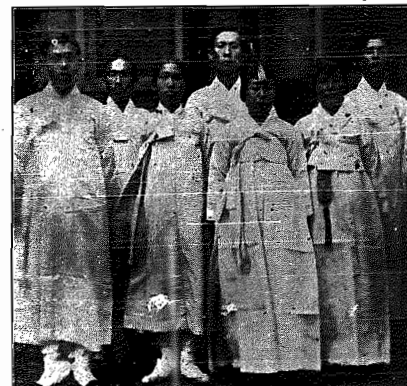
ACCORDING to a cable  
received, Colonel and Mrs.  
Hoggard, who made such  
a hit at the International Congress,  
will leave England by the S.S.  
"Lake Manitoba" on August 19th for  
Canada, en route to Korea. Owing  
to the disorganized conditions of  
sailings throughout the world, our  
commanders will have to remain in  
Canada until a ship leaves the Pacific  
Coast for the Far East. There is,  
therefore, a prospect that some of  
our centres may be favoured with a  
visit from Colonel and Mrs. Hoggard  
and the Korean Delegates.

The native contingent numbers

had an interview with the Officer  
(Ensign Milton). That same night  
he got converted at a Salvation  
Army meeting held in a house in the  
city, and decided to at once throw  
in his lot with The Army, as he  
could conceive of no better way to  
benefit his people.  
He left school at once, went about  
the district with the Officers, assist-  
ing in opening new places, sleeping  
at nights in the Halls. After having  
seen Colonel Hoggard, he offered  
himself for Officership, and entered  
the Training College with the first  
batch of Korean Cadets. In every  
examination he was easily top, and  
showed considerable ability and apti-  
tude for Salvation Army Work.

## A Talented Convert.

Captain Yi Eul Choon was born



Some of the Korean Natives who will visit Canada.

eight, all of whom are most interest-  
ing characters, and will be gathered  
from the following brief sketches:—

## The Korean Delegates.

Their names are:—  
Captain Wang Ching Yul, Cap-  
tain Yi Eul Choon, Lieutenant Hor  
Koon, Cadet Chon Moo Song, Corps  
Cadet Cheo Seun Sun.  
Captain Wang Chong Yul was  
for three years a soldier in the Korean  
army and saw active service.  
But getting tired of slaughter and  
pillage he got out of the army and  
became a student at the Kai Song  
middle school, and to support him-  
self attended a primary school in  
the capacity of drill instructor. One  
day he was surprised to find that  
the schoolroom had been engaged,  
and that a number of people were  
in singing Salvation songs. He made  
inquiries concerning them, and was  
informed that they were English  
Soldiers who had come to Taiku,  
and many reasons were given for  
their coming.  
Wang had resolved to educate  
himself and work for the betterment  
of his nation, and so he sought and

in Seoul, and is now twenty-four  
years of age. He is well educated,  
and is a graduate of the English  
Imperial Language School. After  
having held the position of language  
teacher in the Government High  
School for six months he was told  
one day by a fellow teacher that The Salvation  
Army had come to Seoul,  
and were in need of an interpreter.  
The next morning, purely with a  
view to material benefits, he came to  
The Army and found a meeting be-  
ing held in front of Colonel Hoggard's  
house. That same day (three  
days after the Colonel's arrival) he  
got converted, and commenced to  
assist in the meetings by interpret-  
ing. The idea of worldly profit dis-  
appeared as further revelations of  
God and greater knowledge of The  
Army and its purposes came.  
The work of Captain Yi has been  
chiefly in Seoul, where his time has  
been devoted to teaching foreign  
Officers the Korean language, trans-  
lating songs and Army literature,  
and writing for the native "War  
Cry." He has also acted as an in-  
terpreter to the Officers at the  
Training College, and also to the  
Corps in Seoul.

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## PERSONALIA

## INTERNATIONAL

The Chief of the Staff has with  
himself officers throughout the  
special ten days' campaign, and  
C. sending greetings from his  
comrades who gathered in London.  
Commissioner McAlonan, who  
will take up his duties as an in-  
ternational Secretary some time in  
September recently attended a two-  
days' Conference on Anti-  
affairs, held at International House  
quarters.

Colonel Mildred Duff is to com-  
pany Mrs. Duff in her anti-war  
campaign in Canada.

Colonel Unsworth has, we un-  
derstand, arrived at St. John's, Nfld.,  
will conduct the Annual Corps  
Meeting, which were to have been  
conducted by the late Commissioner.

Commissioner Higgins, who is a  
British Commissioner, is trans-  
ferring in his mind the possibility of  
a special ten days' campaign, which  
though having to do with the  
men and women, will be a new  
departure. If the proposal materializes  
the campaign will arouse much in-  
terest for though another campaign  
meeting prior to a convention, it will  
be something of each and better than  
either.

Colonel Rothwell recently re-  
turned to London on his return to the  
Indies. Sympathy will be felt for  
the Colonel and Mrs. Rothwell  
that for reasons of health Mrs.  
Rothwell was unable to accompany  
the Colonel.

Over thirty years ago Commissioner  
McKie was the Corps Commissioner  
at Hull II.; he recently re-  
visited the scene of those early  
triumphs for Major Harry Ensign  
Harbour Canadians will in future follow  
the Commissioner's movements with  
interest.

At the request of the Chief Sec-  
retary of the Royal Life-Saving So-  
ciety, Brigadier Gillis, Commander  
of the Tees Division (Eng.), exam-  
ined a class of young men students  
at the Middleborough High School  
for proficiency certificates and ad-  
ditional awards for knowledge of  
methods of life-saving from water.

## TERRITORIAL

Commissioner Lamb, accompanied  
by Lieut-Colonel Turner, will be  
visiting Montreal, Ottawa, and St.  
John, on Immigration business.

We extend our sympathy to  
Lieut-Colonel Turner in the loss  
of his brother, George, who recently  
passed away at Dawson City, Yukon.

Mrs. Brigadier Walker and her  
four children, also the two young  
children of the late Colonel and Mrs.  
Malden, on their departure for  
England was delayed on account of  
the war, will now sail from New  
York by the "Celtic," on Thursday  
August 20th. They will be accom-  
panied by Miss Lane, an Emigration  
Conductress of The Salvation Army.

Commissioner Lamb and the Chief  
Secretary personally superintended  
the arrangements for Mrs. Brigadier  
Walker's journey, and bade her and  
the family good-bye at the Union  
Depot. Mrs. Walker was very grate-  
ful for the attention shown.

Captain Rogers, who has lately  
had his right leg amputated above  
the knee, is progressing, and there  
every hope that he will soon be back  
at his work. The Captain has been  
conducted a meeting for eight months,  
during the time Mrs. Rogers has held

at the Corps, and put up a brave fight,  
besides regularly visiting the hospi-  
tal many times a day. God bless her!  
Adjutant and Mrs. Poole have re-  
taken command of Hamilton III.

The following Officers are enjoy-  
ing a well-earned rest: Adjutant and  
Mrs. Kendal, at Filton, Ont.; Cap-  
tain Mortimer, at Muskoka, and  
Captain and Mrs. Speller at Barrie.

Brigadier Frank Morris recently  
conducted at the London Citadel the  
wedding of Samuel Titus Pierce and  
Miss Louisa Wark of Malmesbury.  
Congratulations to Brother John  
Ritchie, of the Immigration Depart-  
ment, who has been re-accepted,  
with the rank of Captain.

Staff-Captain and Mrs. McAm-  
mond conducted the meeting at the  
Mimico Prison last Sunday. On the  
way they got caught in a severe  
storm and were soaked through.

## NEWSLETS

The following changes have taken  
place in the Toronto Division: Ad-  
jutant and Mrs. Ritchie go to Osh-  
awa; Ensign and Mrs. of Seattle  
Toronto I.; Captain Cummings to  
Wychwood; Adjutant and Mrs.  
Campbell to Lippincott; Adjutant  
and Mrs. Cameron to West Toron-  
to; Adjutant and Mrs. Urquhart to  
Riverdale.

The following changes in the  
Men's Social Department are an-  
nounced: Adjutant Hector Hal-  
kirk becomes Superintendent of the  
Vancouver Men's Social Work, with  
Captain Thomas Dray as assistant  
at the Men's Metropole; Adjutant  
Cormish becomes Superintendent of  
the Toronto Men's Social Work. Adjutant  
Sheard is appointed to the Toronto  
Social Headquarters; Captain Lewis  
goes to the Montreal Industrial, to  
replace Major Harry Ensign Har-  
bour takes charge of the Social Work  
in Ottawa.

In the Women's Social Work, the  
only change to record this week is  
that Captain Dina Smith of West-  
ton Rescue Home goes to the Lon-  
don Rescue Home.

In a recent issue of "The War  
Cry" we announced that Captain  
Beckett has been appointed to  
Brookville. Now as there are two  
Captain Becketts in the Canadian  
Field, and we did not say which one  
it was, some confusion has arisen  
over the sending of mail. Captain  
Hall, of Quebec, who has written  
us to inform our readers that it is  
Captain George Beckett who is at  
Brookville.

Property repairs are under way at  
Barrie, Cobalt, North Bay, Simcoe,  
and St. Catharines, and we hope ere  
the winter arrives our Officers and  
congregations will be housed com-  
fortably.

## NEW HALL IN BUENOS AYRES

For some considerable time the  
need has been felt for a Home for  
English-speaking women in Buenos  
Ayres, and at last secured a building with ac-  
commodation for thirty boarders.  
The Consul-General has promised to  
prepay the operating, and Arch-  
deacon Hodges, Dr. Fleming, and  
Mr. Pearson (manager of the Central  
Argentine Railway), and Mr. R.  
de Candolle (manager of the Great  
Southern Railway), have promised to  
contribute the venture.

Commissioner Adelaide Cox repre-  
sented The Army at the recent Kes-  
convention (Eng.), and con-  
ducted a meeting for six months, and  
took possession in the Wesleyan Church.

## WAR IN EUROPE

## Message from The General

## TO OUR OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS

## COMRADES:—

War has broken out between  
several of the Great Powers, and a  
dark and ominous cloud hangs over  
half of the world.

A long train of events has effected  
great changes in the forces, the in-  
terests, and the friendships of the  
Nations of Europe.

For many years monster arma-  
ments have gone on increasing, not-  
withstanding the enormous burdens  
they have imposed upon the people,  
and side by side with them has  
made them more and more danger-  
ous to the peace and happiness of  
mankind.

And now the cruel conflict has  
begun—a conflict which saddens the  
face of the whole world and burdens  
us all with the agony of a personal  
grief.

That grief is made all the greater  
because it seems that this is a war  
of rulers rather than of peoples—  
and a war which every one of the  
parties concerned declares to be en-  
tered upon because it is unavoidable.  
Men of the highest character, and  
of world-wide reputation, in every  
country assure us that they have  
striven with all their powers for  
peace—but without avail.

All this is a heart-breaking spec-  
tacle. One of the great purposes  
of our lives as followers of Jesus  
Christ is to knit together in true  
friendship the nations of the earth.

AN OUTING AND  
A MEETINGCOMMISSIONER LAMB AND  
THE TORONTO OFFICERS.

It had been arranged that Com-  
missioner Lamb, who is at present  
in Canada, should meet the Head-  
quarters and City Officers at a social  
gathering at Scudamore Heights.  
It was in the Commissioner's mind not  
only to make suitable reference to  
the recent appointments—especially  
that of the new Chief Secretary—  
but also to extend a welcome home  
to the I.C.C. Delegates; and a wel-  
come to Lieut-Colonel and Mrs.  
Bond and Brigadier and Mrs. Bet-  
tridge. Under circumstances com-  
pelled the absence of the Commissioner  
and the Chief Secretary, so it de-  
veloped upon Lieut-Colonel Rees  
and Turner to do the necessary  
honours, which they carried out  
with their customary grace and tact.  
The outing was thoroughly enjoy-  
able, and was followed by a series of  
manifestations of Salvation Army com-  
radeship.

## NEW CHIEF SECRETARY

Conducts Dedication Service,  
Dovercourt (Toronto).

The Sunday morning meeting,  
Dovercourt on August 16th, was  
conducted by Colonel G. W. Wark,  
newly-appointed Chief Secretary of  
Canada. He was assisted by Brigadier  
Bettridge and Staff-Capt. Pro-  
Blom.

Later, as Chancellor of the  
Toronto Division, took the oppor-  
tunity of not only welcoming  
Chief Secretary to Dovercourt, but  
of congratulating him on his new  
appointment.

Brigadier Bettridge gave a plea  
the talk. The Colonel took for him-  
self the dangers that beset men  
Christian, and how to successfully  
overcome them. His address was  
inspiring and helpful to God's  
people.

The service was brought to a  
close by the dedication of the infant  
child of Ensign and Mrs. Church.

## DEATH OF CAPT. BOWNESS

Promoted to Glory from an Engineer,  
Hospital.

A cable message from the Chief  
Staff to Colonel Goss, Chief Sec-  
retary, conveyed the sad news that  
Lieut. Captain Bowness, who had  
passed away in a hospital in  
Liverpool. It had been hoped that  
the voyage to England to attend the  
funeral would give him a chance to  
re-occupy his strength, but compli-  
cations resulting from a previous at-  
tack of typhoid fever set in, and he  
was compelled to go to the hospi-  
tal. The deepest sympathy of all comrades will  
be felt for Mrs. Bowness and the two  
fatherless children.

The Captain did good service  
for the British Field before the war.  
He was re-accepted from the  
Orillia, Ontario, in 1909. The Corp  
he commanded were Collingwood,  
Simcoe, Paris, Hespeler, and Essex.

## HONOUR THE DEAD.

## A Head Steward's Touching Act.

The S.S. "Scandinavian," arriving  
from Glasgow (Scotland), at the  
place where the "Empress of Ire-  
land" went down with our hundred  
and forty-six devoted comrades, was  
made to slow up, and a memorial  
service was conducted by Brigadier  
and Mrs. McMillan and the writer.  
Also, there were present the Doc-  
tor of the vicinity, who took part in  
the service. Every passenger seem-  
ed to be eager to attend. Approp-  
riate songs were sung during the  
service.

The head steward clipped off from  
the table plants some flowers, and  
made a very beautiful floral offering,  
and, as we came opposite the very  
spot, they were thrown over in the  
direction of the place where our be-  
loved comrade went to meet their  
reward; the very waves themselves  
seemed to lend a helping hand, and  
drove them to the place of the  
disaster.

The service was indeed very im-  
pressive, and there was hardly a  
person who did not shed tears. We  
believe that this service was the  
most helpful in helping  
many, and we have no doubt but  
that some will, through its influ-  
ence, be brought to think of the  
glorious Adjutant Al-

ton  
Mother to



# THE WAR GOES ON-MANY CAPTURES

## Effective Open-Air Attacks

### Enemy in Force Everywhere

#### NEW TORONTO SONGSTER BRIGADE.

Commissioned at Lippincott Street by Lieut-Colonel Chandler.

On Thursday night, August 13th, the recently-formed Songster Brigade was commissioned by Lieut-Colonel Chandler, who was in a particularly happy vein, and spoke of the good that they would be able to accomplish. He also said that the Songster Brigade was a hard-working lot.

The Brigade numbers sixteen, and is making good progress under the capable and efficient leadership of Mrs. Whitwell, who has put in a particularly hard work since the start. Brother Cooper was made Secretary. Other Locals commissioned were: Handmaster D. Bulmer, Corps Secretary, John Wicksey, and Band Secretary Broad.

On Saturday the Songsters held a service at the Little Lake Park. Beach to our Officers, Adjutant and Mrs. Squarebriggs.

Sunday marked the farewell service of Adjutant and Mrs. Squarebriggs. They have been with us about eighteen months. In the morning the Adjutant spoke on personal holiness, and during the evening service comrades referred to different departments of the Corps work testified to the interest the Officers had taken in the work, and the Adjutant spoke powerfully at night, urging the people to farewell from sin.—G. E. B.

#### A FAREWELL VISIT.

Brigadier Morris at St. Thomas.

Brigadier Frank Morris, accompanied by his little daughter Grace (who, by the way, did some special singing for us), paid a flying and farewell visit to St. Thomas on Sunday, August 16th. The Brigadier insisted that the meeting should not be occupied with the expression of regrets, and devoted the time to real Salvation. He said that he would not remember the magnificent City where he has been the result of his interest in the Corps. "A magnificent crowd was present. The Band played wonderfully well."

A hearty welcome was assured in the meeting for Brigadier Bridgidge, the new Divisional Commander for the London Division.—S. C.

#### SIX PRISONERS CAPTURED.

Junior Plie held at Little Lake Park.

We recently welcomed, at Midland Ont., by means of a tea and social evening, our new Officers, Captain and Mrs. Bridgidge, who had just returned from the International Congress. A splendid and enjoyable evening was spent. Good, roasting weather, and the children have been well, and already we have had the joy of seeing six people converted.

Our Junior picnic was held on August 23rd at Little Lake Park, and it was enjoyed by all the children.—

#### A THRILLING STORY.

What Brigadier Morris Said.

Brigadier Frank Morris visited Hamilton, and gave his address on "Shadow and Sunshine." In the afternoon at Hamilton I. Citadel, and at night in the Barton Street East Methodist Church. In spite of the heat, at both places, good crowds gathered to hear the thrilling story of the "Empress" disaster. Many touching references of affection were mentioned by the Brigadier in connection with the last words of the late Commissioner Rees, Staff-Captain and Mrs. Morris, and many others. Mrs. Brigadier Adly assisted the Major all day.

#### THE BEST FOOTWEAR FOR SOLDIERS.

Attack Begun on Maisonneuve—Crowds Listen to Band.

Staff-Captain and Mrs. Watford were at Montreal, IV, on Sunday, August 16th. The Brigadier, Ensign Wright introduced to us the tune of "Onward, Christian Soldiers" to the words of "Jesus, Precious Saviour."

In his address the Staff-Captain laid stress on having our feet shod with the preparation of the Gospel. To this our Father-in-Law, Sergeant Major answered that this applied specially to "War Cry" heralds. Heralds who have not their feet shod do not go very far, he said.

At night the Staff-Captain gave a stirring address on the sufferings of Jesus. Major Hay piloted the prayer-meeting, and two souls came forward.

Our Band paid a visit to the French Corps, and assisted in the holding of several open-air on a record Sunday afternoon.

The Band has also begun the attack on Maisonneuve, a city adjoining Montreal. We go there occasionally on Sunday afternoon and hold three or four open-air. It is quite a pleasure to witness balconies, steps, and windows crowded with onlookers.—G. Dondenz.

#### LECTURES ON HOLLAND.

The week-end meetings at Fenelon Falls were conducted by Captain Van der Veer, of Toronto. On the Saturday night, he gave a very interesting lecture on "Holland."

In the Holiness meeting Sunday morning he spoke on "Gargantuan Counter-Religion." Sunday afternoon his subject was "How I got converted, and where I worked for God."

On Sunday night the Captain gave a very impressive illustrated lecture, entitled "From Manger to Throne." All his meetings were much enjoyed. —G. Interced.

#### TO OFFICERS AND CORPS CORRESPONDENTS

We are very anxious to give full publicity to the work that is being accomplished, and appeal to our comrades to send immediate reports. With fields Officers write to us with respect to the appointments of Corps Correspondents.

#### TWELVE SOLDIERS ARE ENROLLED.

Moore Jaw Gives Adjutant Habkirk a "Cool Reception."

Mrs. Adjutant Habkirk has nobly held the fort at Moore Jaw while her husband was at the I.C.C. On Thursday we welcomed home the Adjutant, who gave a most interesting account of the great Congress, and the Provincial tours. He was listened to with rapt attention, and we felt proud of the dear old Army.

A beautiful sight was the swearing in under the Blood-and-Fire Flag of twelve comrades as Soldiers.

Following the enrolment, the Adjutant was given a "very cool reception"—being invited to take part in an ice cream social. The Band, under the leadership of Handmaster W. Probert, took a very prominent part in the welcome home.

On Sunday we had the joy of seeing a poor backslider—Baptist local preacher—return to his God. He afterwards testified, and expressed his determination to do right in the future, by God's grace.—Mac.

#### A HEARTY WELCOME HOME.

St. John Greets the I.C.C. Delegates.

Brigadier and Mrs. Taylor and Adjutant Cummins received a very hearty welcome home from the I.C.C. Major Cummins had arranged a programme full of good things, one feature of which was a number of original welcome home songs, sung by the representatives of the various branches of the work at St. John. These showed how grateful the Soldiers and friends were for the safe return of our visitors, and were sung with splendid vim. Mrs. Taylor sang and addresses brimful of enthusiasm and descriptive of the Great Congress were given by Adjutant Cummins and Brigadier Taylor. It was a happy holiday time.

#### FOUR SOULS AT OTTAWA II.

Government Official. Seeks Advice.

Ensign and Mrs. Barker, who have just returned from the I.C.C., and also visiting their friends in England, led the meetings on Sunday. In the Holiness meeting one came back to the Lord, and at night we rejoiced over four seekers.

During the week a gentleman holding a Government position came to the Ensign for advice. He also signed a pledge drawn up by the Ensign that he would never again touch drink. The Ensign, with him, and spoke to him about his soul.—Forward.

#### AN OUTPOST FIGHT.

The Soldiers and Band of Essex County met at the I.C.C. on Friday night, August 14th, which was opened as an Outpost of the Essex Corps for the present. A large crowd stood around the open-air. We had a real good meeting in the Hall, and one sister sought God. We had a real good week-end at Essex. God's spirit was felt, and our souls were blest.—Wm. Curry.

#### ENEMY SURRENDERING.

Souls Captured at Parry Sound—Through Open-air Attacks.

We are having good time at Parry Sound. On Saturday, August 8th, we had three souls at the Mercy Seat, and on Tuesday one young man came into the Hall and said he wanted to go with the Corps. He had been listening to the open-air at the Harbour the evening before, and had been impressed by the Captain's words. We knelt together, and after a struggle, he assured us that it was his.

On Wednesday we went to the Harbour again for an open-air, and one young man seemed to be very interested in the meeting. He followed us to the second open-air, and just about the close the Captain asked him if he would not like to give his heart to God. He said he would, so we all knelt around the drum. It was a beautiful sight, and before we got up from our knees he said he believed in Jesus and would like to stick by it.

On Thursday, two of our late converts were enrolled as Soldiers. Captain and Mrs. Pollock are leading a Corps Correspondent.

#### SOLDIERS RALLIED WELL.

To Week-end Meetings at Welland, Ontario.

On Saturday night and Sunday, August 15th and 16th, we had with us Lieutenant, P. H. of Dunnville, who is assisting Lieutenant Netberg while Captain Johnston is on leave. Lieutenant Netberg was much enjoyed, as were the selections given by the String Band. The concluding item was a tableau—"Our August officers a gypsy boy lay."—Wm. Maddie.

At night, after a rousing open-air meeting, we marched to the Hall, and a crowd of soldiers and comrades were moved to tears, and expressed their desire to be Christians.

#### NEW TORONTO I. OFFICERS.

Ensign and Mrs. Beatty have made a good start at Toronto. The first week-end meetings were times of great blessing, and we finished up with a praise, prayer, and testimony meeting, and one soul to the Fountain.—W. Owen.

#### VISITING UNATTACHED COMRADES.

Meeting in the Ekoworth Town Hall.

How the visits of Officers to our unattached comrades on the North-West farms are appreciated by them may be gathered from the following:

"My parents had arranged to take the Officers (Captain Freeman and Lieutenant Johnston) to the Red Deer to our farm at Eelville, Alta. It was such a joy to mother to have Officers to visit her, as we have not had the opportunity since we lived in Finland."

"The Lieutenant spoke, Swedish, so my parents could talk to her. We had a little meeting in the farm, and on Wednesday night we had a service in the Ekoworth Town Hall. There was a good crowd, but a lot of people arrived too late for the meeting, so we sang a few songs, and the Lieutenant addressed them."

Several persons drove quite long distances to be present; one family drove eleven miles. The Officers were urged to come again. One dear woman, who drove four miles, but not in time for the meeting, came too late, said, with tears in her eyes, how glad she would be to have the Officers visit her. All were glad to hear of it.—Candidate Elizabeth M. Tigerstedt.

#### OPENING OF FORT FRANCES.

Brigadier McLean Concludes First Week-end Meetings—Ten Souls.

(By Wire.)

Winnipeg. Brigadier McLean, assisted by Staff-Captain Peacock and Captain Cox, conducted the opening of Fort Frances (Ontario), on Saturday, August 15th. Captain Marshall and Lieutenant Faith Marshall were installed as Corps Officers. The meetings were a splendid success. Prospects for the future were very encouraging. Great crowds at open-air and inside meetings. Army welcomed by all. Ten souls for the week-end. Praise God!

#### GYPSY CAMP MEETING AT NEW ABERDEEN.

Captain Laing is back from the Congress, and we are all delighted to see him. The meetings on Sunday and Monday were well attended, and we had a good spiritual time.

On Monday night we held a "Gypsy Camp Meeting," preceded by a march. The singing, recitations, and testimonies given by the singers were much enjoyed, as were the selections given by the String Band. The concluding item was a tableau—"Our August officers a gypsy boy lay."—Wm. Maddie.

#### FOUR-SIDED RELIGION.

Subject of a "Specialist" Address at Yorkton.

On Sunday, August 30th, we had Brother Nancarrow of Winnipeg, telling address on "Four-Sided Religion." This was of great blessing to all, and at the close one poor soul was returned to the fold.

Lieutenant Norman and Mrs. Nancarrow are leading on the subject of Liddard's absence. We are going to do our best for God and souls.—Redwing.

#### THE KOREAN DELEGATES.

(Continued from Page 8.)

Lieutenant Hon Kwon was born in a tiny little village called Su Chon Ri, in the county of Po Yung, in the South Chong Chong Province.

Under his father's death he took over his father's druggist's business. He became addicted to drink and also a professional gambler, but got saved in an Army Hospital, and is now a promising young Officer.

Cadet Chon Moo Son was born in the southern part of Korea, where The Army has now a good work in progress.

"When he was ten years old the boy's father died, and a year after his mother also passed away. Friends arranged for him to come to Seoul, and he commenced to work in the house of a Government official, which was his home up to the time of his entering the first class of Cadets. He has acquired a fairly good education."

#### A Promising Officer.

Five years ago, now, according to Korean custom, he was still a boy—being unmarried and wearing a phat of hair down his back, although nineteen years of age—came to The Army, being attracted by hearing that lessons in painting were given by Mrs. Ensign Hill. Instead of learning to paint he got converted in the first class of Cadets. He possesses considerable ability as a speaker, is not wanting in zeal and determination, and is looked upon as one of the most promising young men Officers.

Corps Cadet Cho Sun Sun is a native of Seoul. His contact with The Army was to the boyish desire to see what it was like. He came to Korea as "Kui-gyong," literally "sight-seeing." He attended the meetings for a time and then came to attend. Captain Ryley now Mrs.

Ensign Hill missed this bright lad and called to see him and his parents, with the result that his attendance was renewed, and shortly after the opening of the Junior class he became soundly converted in a Junior meeting, since when he has rendered great assistance in many ways. His disposition is bright and amiable; as a speaker he is racy and interesting; for a Korean he is exceptionally musical, and plays the tenor horn very creditably in the Band.

He is the right-hand helper of Mrs. Staff-Captain Crispin, and takes a Company regularly, also acting as Treasurer. He is greatly respected both in the Junior and Senior Corps.

#### PROMOTIONS.

(Continued from Page 8.)

Lieutenant Forward, to be Captain. Lieutenant Esau, to be Captain.

Lieutenant Porter, to be Captain. Lieutenant Perry, to be Captain.

Lieutenant Andrews, to be Captain. Lieutenant Pike, to be Captain.

Lieutenant Smith, to be Captain. Lieutenant Brett, to be Captain.

Lieutenant Lillian West, of the Women's Social Work, to be Captain.

Cadet Alice Mootrey, to be Probationary Lieutenant.

Cadet Lucy Raines, to be Probationary Lieutenant.

Cadet Edna Wilson, to be Probationary Lieutenant.

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Cadet Samuel Clark, to be Probationary Lieutenant.

Cadet Laura Pretty, to be Probationary Lieutenant.

ALBERT GASKIN, Colonel.

## The Praying League

(By Mrs. Blanche Johnston.)

#### Prayer Topics.

1. Pray for God's glory and the bringing of international peace.
2. Pray for the Salvation of the soldiers in active service; that they may yield themselves to God.
3. Pray for the women and children who stay at home to think and pray and be saved.
4. Pray for Canada's coming Congress.
5. Pray that "The War Cry" may carry hope, light, enlightenment and spiritual edification to its readers.

#### Home Readings.

SUNDAY, August 30.—Special Officers. Acts 2:1-11. MONDAY, August 31.—First Martyr. Acts 6:1-15; 7:1-60; 8:2-12. TUESDAY, Sept. 1.—Detection. A BELIEVER IN PRAYER.

#### Not Confined to Salvationists.

In reply to our correspondent, we would state that the Praying League membership is not confined to Salvationists. Indeed, one of the first purposes of the League was to help link up friends of The Army to join in the exercise of believing prayer. Persons of other Christian denominations are always welcome to our membership. Our late Commissioner Rees and many of the comrades who were one of the "First Press" disaster, were members of the League, and readers are asked to take their places in the ranks of prayer. To the second correspondent we remind the writer that twelve o'clock noon is a regular hour of prayer for The Army all round the world.

How many members have you in the League? Write to us.

#### U. S. A. STAFF CHANGES.

(Continued from Page 7.)

a means of great blessing to all, and the Prison Chaplain, under the Eastern Social Department, New York City.

Brigadier Wm. Hunter, Prison Chaplain, New York City, to be Provincial Young People's Secretary for Ohio, Kentucky, and Southern Indiana, at the Provincial Headquarters, Pittsburgh, Pa.

On Monday, August 30th, the funeral of Major James Allan was held at Kenzie Cemetery. The Major was promoted to Glory during the I.C.C., and had been for many years in the Eastern Social Department; his last appointment being Manager of the Industrial Home in New York City.

During a great electrical storm which swept over Eastern Pennsylvania, the lightning struck our fine building in Pen Argyll, Pa., doing considerable damage.

#### Dedication of Citadels.

The new Citadel and Hotel, now in course of erection in Bangor, Maine, will be opened and dedicated by the Commander in connection with a special week-end campaign, September 26th and 27th. The visit of the Commander at this time is being eagerly anticipated, and doubtless a great stirring of the city will take place.

The property at Kenne, N. H., recently purchased and being remodelled, is to be dedicated by the Provincial Officer, Colonel Adair Gifford, on Saturday and Sunday, August 22nd and 23rd. The Colony will be accompanied by Staff-Captain Wm. Guard, the Divisional Officer, and members of the Provincial Divisional Staff, as well as the Provincial Staff Band from Boston.

sands join in the Bible Study and Prayer Topics and the reading of our Department in "The Cry." We have had an enrolled membership of nearly two thousand. Our aim was five thousand. We have lost quite a number by death. There are few members joining from time to time, and we are always glad to receive them.

#### The Conditions of Membership.

Members are asked to read the daily portions of Scriptures assigned, to pray for the Special Subjects outlined each week, and to pray:—

- 1.—For conviction to take hold the unconverted in your life family.
- 2.—For a universal baptism of Holy Spirit to fall upon the earth and God everywhere.
- 3.—For a soul-saving revival in all lands.
- 4.—For the leaders of God's Army everywhere, especially your own Officer or Minister.
- 5.—For all workers toiling in foreign lands.
- 6.—For the revered General of The Salvation Army.

And to the members of the League I promise to pray every day for an outpouring of the Spirit of God upon His people in all nations, and that the Salvation Army may be inspired to continue its manifold works of mercy and soul-saving at all times and in all places throughout the world.

Signed.....

Address.....

There is no expense in the League. Write to us.

# HAS MODERN PROGRESS BENEFITTED MANKIND?



In the unrestrained chase of the sovereign, the spirit of charity is being snuffed out.

FROM a very striking article in the "Pall Mall" Magazine we excerpt the quotation below. The writer makes out a very strong case to show that the benefits men derive from modern progress are not unimpaired. The present war would seem to indicate that either the progress has been very superficial, or that it is very easy to retrograde from modern progress. Certainly wholesale slaughter to right a wrong does not indicate real progress. The writer suggests that there is a progress has made fraud second nature to the modern man, that there is a growing depravity of morals; an abuse of power, that men are taking on a hardness and brutality which may some day result in distressing and terrible reflection. At any rate, it is a call to Salvationists to more than ever make the Salvation of Christ a real force in modern progress.

**The Blessing of Freedom.**  
"We have power, wealth, knowledge, freedom—four blessings which our ancestors either did not know at all or knew in slight measure only. And of all the blessings which only modern age has showered upon us, perhaps the most precious is freedom. Our ancestors were prisoners, and suffered immeasurably from confinement. They have passed beyond. What greater joy is given to man than the power to follow his impulses in thought and feeling, and to be free from the control of an external will, whether expressed in law or public opinion or tradition? The modern age is therefore the greatest and happiest that the world has known."

This manner of thinking is widely diffused to-day and feeds the optimism that cheers so many modern minds. And in part it is sound—but in part faulty. For in their intoxication over their conquest of nature and easy wealth, men seem to lose sight of the fact that this civilization without boundaries leads gradually by its own unbridled energy towards excesses that threaten to drag it back into barbarism. The leap that has taken across ancient barriers is great; but there is a very real danger that the leap may carry it too far.

We have already said that among the restraints abolished by modern civilization are those which an earlier civilization placed upon luxury. How our ideas on this subject have changed in two centuries! Simplicity and austerity were for centuries considered the virtues of saints and heroes. Christianity encouraged a direct glorification in poverty. According to the ancients, the man who increased his needs only increased his masters and multiplied occasions of grief; the more simply a man could live, the freer he was, the stronger and happier! In a word, in former times, down to the French Revolution, religion, law, tradition set bounds to desires, passions, pleasures; and these bounds were so many and so narrow that they occasioned no little suffering to the generations that were compelled to live within them. Where we have destroyed them all.

With what result? We no longer have any trustworthy standard by which to distinguish between the good and the bad. We have no more certain point of reference. We are at a dead end. It is fair to say that up to a certain point Christianity was above everything else a contrite meditation upon the perversity of human nature, a force tending to purify humanity through meditation, through suffering, and the love of God. One needs only to read the letters of St. Catherine, or the "Thoughts of Pascal," to understand the extent to which modern refinement, which is the fruit of this meditation, preoccupied the noblest minds in former centuries, and through the most powerful on earth. A considerable part of the strength of each generation was consumed in this searching for the soul instead of in action. For centuries, Europe was rich in saints, moralists, preachers, but poor in men of action. There were times, too, when this searching of the soul was by no means a pleasant occupation; and upwards of a century and a half ago many writers and philosophers denounced it as the most refined of tortures with which the religion of a past era wrecked the lives of men.

**The Necessity for Restraint.**  
But they were wrong, because this century has shown that for an effort which religion made for the purpose of habituating men to introspection, to know themselves, and to judge themselves, rested on deep foundations. However great the power of laws and the vigils of public opinion, a tolerable order cannot prevail in society if men fail to keep a certain watch over themselves—if they fail to place upon themselves certain inward restraints that will prevent them from taking advantage of every occasion that may arise to do evil with impunity. In respect to three duties this necessity is especially urgent: the duty to tell the truth, the duty to check the inclination to flattery, especially in the relation between the two sexes, and the duty not to abuse one's strength upon the weak.

How often, if we were so minded, might we not lie not only with impunity, but to our own advantage! Wherefore is it not essential, if justice is to triumph, that truth should spring from us spontaneously? How easy it is for the man who has become the slave of a vice to avoid the eyes of his friends even when it would serve his passions in secret! And what perverse plans can be imagined so minute and perfect that it would succeed in making impossible the infinite ways in which the strong oppress the weak?

All religions have helped more or less—and none more than Christianity—to strengthen law and public opinion in the regulation of this most important sphere of morality. They have sanctified the oath—which is nothing but a pledge that every individual makes to himself—to tell the truth even when it would be possible for him to lie with impunity. (Continued on Page 2)

# PROMOTED TO GLORY

Mrs. Julia Potts, of Walnut Ridge, Ark., has gone home to Heaven. Her sister was a great sufferer for many months with consumption, but she was restored to the joy of God. When visited by the writer, she expressed her willingness to die. When told that she was dying, she said: "Dear Jesus, take me right now!" and passed away to be with God.

In the memorial service held by Sergeant-Major Bugden, in the presence of the Band, the following radio spoke of her life. She had been a Salvationist since childhood. She leaves a husband and three children, to whom we extend our deepest sympathy.

# IN MEMORY

Of the Staff Band and Soldiers of the Salvation Army who last lives on the "Empress of Ireland." God will be with you till we meet again. You shall sleep until the resurrection morning. Not dead. God did not smite death's threatening wave before you. But opened the Golden Gates of Paradise instead.

God will be with you till we meet again! Alas! dear comrades, we shall miss the sweet strains of melody you played. Yet the sweeter strains of the Golden Harps in Glory awaited you. With pure white robes you shall be arrayed.

God will be with you till we meet again! We will not pine with sorrow because of your decease. Heaven's plains will be the richer with a band of noble souls; Earth will be poorer for want of songs of joy and peace.

God will be with you till we meet again! When face to face we see you radiant with eternal joy; Not puzzled or marred by such strange and sudden fate; Sudden death brought sudden glory.

And peace without alloy.—JOSEPH TURNER, Woodstock, Ont.

# MEMORIAL HEADQUARTERS FOR CEYLON.

"We are rejoicing over a splendid harvest of spiritual victory," writes Brigadier Semara Veera (Chief Secretary for Ceylon). "An advance has been made on last year's work. The new Territorial Headquarters in Colombo, which has been erected as a memorial to our beloved Founder, is to be opened during August."

"Headway is being made in the industrial side of the House for Veterans, and the workers are becoming experts in the making of cotton and silk goods."

The Annual Picnic and Outing of the Perthshire Band, with their wives and families, was held on Monday, August 10th (Civic Holiday). After enjoying themselves in various ways, the Bandmen, about 2,500, held a Salvationist meeting, led on by Adjutant McElheney.

# NEWS NOTES and COMMENTS

**PANAMA CANAL OPENS.**  
THE formal opening of the Panama Canal on Saturday, August 15th, was the most magnificent of a week which has taken the United States seven years to accomplish in the face of stupendous difficulties. Americans may well be proud of their great canal, which will undoubtedly be classed as one of the wonders of the world. It is one of the triumphs of peace, and something to be far more satisfied in than victory on a battlefield.

The steamer "Ancon" made the official trial trip, the passage through the canal from the Atlantic to the Pacific occupying twelve hours. Forty-one passages a day is the average capacity of the Panama Canal, compared with twelve through the Suez Canal.

As a convenience for the commercial world the value of the Panama Canal is incalculable. By uniting the two oceans the dream of centuries has been realized. It is a monument to the genius and courage of the Anglo-Saxon race and a striking example of the triumph of man over the forces of nature.

**A GENEROUS GIFT.**  
MR. JOHN ROSS, of Montreal, has generously contributed the sum of five hundred thousand dollars to be used for the general military and naval purposes of the Government, including provision for pensions to invalided soldiers, their widows and children. The Minister of Finance, in accepting the contribution, expressed to Mr. Ross the thanks of the Government for the splendid gift, and congratulated him on his patriotic loyalty to Canada and the Empire.

**A POSSIBLE MORATORIUM.**  
IT is within the range of possibility that a moratorium may be declared in Canada at any time while a state of war prevails. This means that the payment of debts may be postponed till such time as determined by the Government. Both Great Britain and France have recently declared moratoriums for their own countries.

So far there has been no necessity whatever for issuing such a proclamation in Canada, but it is probable there never will be. It may, however, be considered advisable to enact a general Moratorium Act, to be brought into effect in whole or in part as circumstances should emergency arise.

**A WONDERFUL RAILWAY.**  
ONE of the most impressive bits of railroad engineering in the world is to be seen in Peru. This remarkable railway runs from Lima to Oroya, over the mighty Andes. One of the stations is La Paz, which enjoys the distinction of being the highest city in the world, being at an elevation of 12,000 feet.

It furnishes a startling surprise in the manner of its welcome—no yaps are landed at a railway station, perched on the side of a mountain, that towers precipitously above the platform and not a dwelling seems to be in the vicinity; but walk to the edge of the platform and look over—there is a city which is built on the bottom of a little vale, and you must go down thither by a cogwheel electric railroad built by an American engineer.

**TORONTO'S TAG DAY.**  
TORONTO responded magnificently to the call from the women of Canada for funds for the Hospital Ship, "Lancet," of 500 beds and fifty ladies canvassed the

# LUXURIES AND MISSIONS.

OVER five billion dollars was spent by the people of the United States on luxuries last year, according to the statement of Rev. Biedervoll at a recent conference. In striking contrast to this was the sum of twelve million dollars for missions.

The cost of some of the "Unnecessary Life," according to Dr. Biedervoll, was: Jewellery, \$800,000,000; candy, \$200,000,000; chewing gum, \$200,000,000; soft drink, \$200,000,000; theatre, \$200,000,000; tobacco, \$1,200,000,000; millinery, \$900,000,000; intoxicating liquors, \$2,000,000,000.

These are some of the things that people could well deny themselves of, and be all the better for it. And if the money thus saved were diverted into the useful channels of missionary and social efforts, the world would indeed be benefited.

**EMBARGO ON TEA.**  
THE tea business in Canada is likely to suffer a temporary setback on account of the war. It was expected that the British Government would take off the embargo on tea, but they have not done so. This means that no tea can be shipped out of England.

As the tea-carrying trade from the East was mainly done by German ships, it will be many months before British can take up the slack. Meanwhile the tea drinkers in Canada will have to go on short rations.

**CHOCOLATE FOR CANADIANS.**  
THE Owen Chocolate Company of Toronto has donated five thousand pounds of chocolate for the use of the Canadian Continent, and the Government has gratefully accepted the gift.

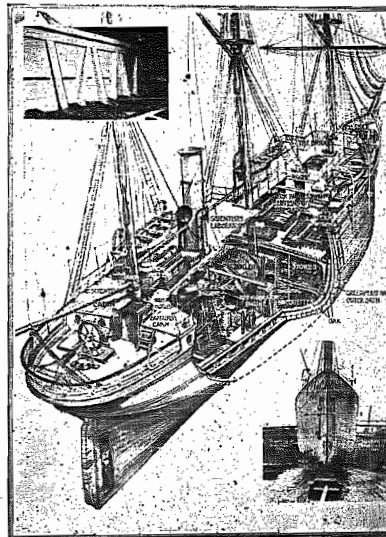
Chocolate is a very useful thing for a soldier to have in his kit. Practically every European soldier is compelled to carry a supply in his kit for emergency use in case of food shortage or unusual fatigue on forced marches. Its sustaining qualities and concentrated food value cannot be exaggerated.

# KITCHENER'S HOMELY.

The following pars are taken from Field Marshal Earl Kitchener's soldierly homely to the men of the British expeditionary force, which he directed that every soldier should keep in his active service pay-book: "You are ordered abroad as a soldier of the King to help our French comrades against the invasion of our common enemy."

"You have to perform a task which will need your courage, your energy, and your patience. Remember that the honour of the British army depends on your individual conduct. You are sure to meet with a welcome and to be trusted. Your conduct must justify that welcome and that trust. Your duty cannot be done unless your health is sound, so keep constantly on your guard against any excesses. You must entirely resist temptations, and while treating all women with perfect courtesy, you should avoid any intimacy. Do your duty bravely. Fear God and honour the King."

Successful tests have been carried out by the inventor in the presence of experts, but it remains to be seen how the apparatus will act in an emergency.



SHACKLETON EXPEDITION'S FLAGSHIP, "ENDURANCE".

General view of the "Endurance," showing engine-room (350 h.p.) and hull in section.

The Viceroy says: "It is very encouraging to find new educational establishments ready to start in the capital of India, among them being a new Stephen's College, a medical college for women, the Begum of Bhopal Girls' School, a post-graduate college for the sons and families of ruling chiefs, and a college for Indian medicine. Sites for all these have been requested and assigned, and it is not too much to hope that Delhi may, in addition to its other features, become an important educational centre."

Over twenty-eight thousand dollars was raised.

**NEW LIFE-SAVING DEVICE.**  
INVENTIONS for saving life at sea are being made by a young man in the shape of a skirt. The central part is water-tight canvas with two sleeves, the lower part is a metal bucket which fills itself with water as soon as it enters the sea and keeps the life-saving apparatus by its weight in a vertical position, the man sitting on the rim of the bucket. The top allows the person to look out through a sliding glass door.









Aquatic Sports.

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## Poor City Children at Clarksons Farm-The Army's Fresh-Air Camp

SEVENTY CHILDREN WHO LIVE IN CROWDED HOMES SPEND A FORTNIGHT AT THIS CAMP DURING THE HOT SUMMER WEATHER



A Triad of Sea Urchins.

(Photographs by Staff-Captain Arnold.)



A Happy Family, but not all his. Ensign Sharp, however, takes good care of them while they are with him.



Lieut.-Colonel Hargraves, Young People's Secretary and the Officer who has charge of the Camp. Where the children eat and sleep, and take refuge from the rain. To many, Clarksons is the paradise of their dreams.



A group of young mermaids who love the water.

